

# THE RALEIGH NEWS.

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DAILY NEWS

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27 1879

## Weather Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 24.  
South to Anti States, winds mostly from  
S. E. to W. with stationary & a slight  
rise in temperature, partly cloudy we the  
and possibly occasional rain.

## THE CITY.

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W. M. SANDERS' FLOUR.

CHEROKEE INDIAN COUGH CURE.

LOCAL DOSES.

M. T. NORRIS'—Local notice.

JULIUS LEWIS &amp; CO.—Farmer wagons.

TUCKER HALL—Entertainment.

## LOCAL BRIEFS.

—Scrap!

—The Pathfinders!

—Ma, look at him!—Scrap!

—The Pathfinders a la Troubadours!

—A postal card is held at the office,  
with no add. e.s., but signed "yours,  
F."How W. H. Battle continues to im-  
prove; such was the news from Chapel  
Hill yesterday.The State Treasurer yesterday issued a drummer's license to J. M.  
Wyche, Petersburg, Va.—The fragrant guano now gives  
its bouquet to the air, as great quanti-  
ties of it are being hauled up from the  
seaboard.—The piazza of the city near Oak-  
wood cemetery is being much improved  
by the erection of some handsome resi-  
dences.—Mr. H. Mahler has taken an  
agency for the sale of the Chickering  
pianos, and will have a fair at his jewel-  
ry store.—The discussion of one of those  
everlasting railway bills consumed matri-  
ally all day in the House yesterday.—Judge Thurman will deliver the  
evidence before the societies at Chapel  
Hill Commencement. It was an error  
that he had declined.—Rowan county yesterday drew from the State Treasury the sum of  
\$440 for support of her outside lun-  
tines.—The condition of Dr. Wingate, of  
Wake Forest College, is not so dan-  
gerous as we stated yesterday, as we  
are informed by letter from Wake  
Forest.—It begins to look as if the city  
will not be graced by the erection of a  
monument for the Governor. Some  
folks say it is rather a skin on the pe-  
ople here, and they may not be  
wrong.—Capt. T. J. Robinson, Secretary  
and Treasurer of the Department of  
Agriculture, yesterday drew from the  
State Treasury \$3,000, for support of  
that Department.—The posters of the next troupe,  
the Milton Jaspers, who appear at  
Tucker Hall, next Tuesday and Wed-  
nesday evenings, ornament the streets.  
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iatores, Mattie Vickers and Charlie Rog-  
ers.—The cistern now building at the  
intersection of Person and Broadwörth  
is approaching completion. Like all of the new ones, it will hold  
35,000 gallons. The others will be  
finished by summer.—THE MARKET.—The market is now  
but poorly supplied with meats, while  
little country produce comes in. It is  
the worst season of the year for these  
things.CONVICTS.—Sheriff J. T. Hunter, of  
Alamance, yesterday brought down and delivered to the authorities of the  
State Penitentiary, three convicts,  
Sandy Hopson, man's daughter, 9 years;  
John Bask alias John Evans, larceny,  
5 years; George Williams, larceny, one  
year.—PERSONAL.—Dr. A. R. Ledoux, of  
the State Chemical Central Station at  
University, is in the city, and Hon. Thomas Ruthin, Maj. Jno. W. Graham,  
of Hillsboro, are at the Tabernacle.—Maj. Jas. W. Wilson, President of  
the Western N. C. R. R., is at the  
same hotel.Hon. John Manning, of Chatham, is  
in the city.Mr. J. W. Ramsey of Wm. A. Totle  
& Co., a favorite salesman, a clever  
gentleman and a successful business  
man, is in the city.MILITARY Gossip.—An election for  
field officers of the Second Regiment of  
Infantry was held at Wilmington, Tues-  
day, resulting in the choice of Charles  
W. Alexander, of Charlotte, as Col-  
onel; Albert H. Pitt, of Fayetteville,  
Lieut.-Colonel; William A. Liles,  
Major. Col. Alexander was re-elected, the others are promoted  
from the line.Commissioners were yesterday sent  
to the Beaufort Light Infantry, a fine  
company recently organized at Beau-  
fort, with Geo. W. Charlotte as Cap-  
tain.—THE STREETS.—Walking with a man  
well informed as to such matters, a re-  
porter was yesterday told that the con-  
dition of the streets might be vastly  
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keep the sidewalks, so that there  
should be a fall of some two feet from  
the centre of the roadway to the gutters.  
If one will observe the streets he  
will discover that many of them are  
perfectly level, so that water from rain-  
falls has no way to escape but stands  
in pools or else permeates the soil and  
makes a filthy street. The two level  
streets are cut away by vehicles and  
presently become worn into depressions,  
which when dry weather comes  
are unpleasant to the eye, destroy the  
level of the street, and are often sources  
of danger to pedestrians. Now the  
question is becoming daily more and  
more important to the people, for  
though the streets in the best weather  
are passable, yet the fortune comes  
but seldom. There is nothing like  
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in view of the fact that the city cannot  
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gested.

—ELECTRIC BELTS.

A sure cure for nervous debility, pre-  
mature decay, exhaustion, etc. The only  
remedy ever invented and mailed free.  
Address J. W. EVANS, 4 Chalmers St., S. Y.  
Feb. 26/79.

FOR SALE.

The fixtures and stock of a old establish-  
ment in Washington street. Premises  
for rent if desired. Apply at the News  
Office.

LOST.

A Certificate of Ten Shares of Stock in the  
National Bank of North Carolina, No. 14,  
in the name of W. T. WALTERS, October 1,  
1869. All persons are warned not to trade  
with said Mr. WALTERS.WILLIAM DAFFORN,  
123 Main street,  
Mattresses and Upholstering Rooms,  
and 20 north Fifteenth street.

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Louisburg, N. C.  
Office in the Court house.  
Feb. 27/79.

RALEIGH, N. C. THURSDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 27, 1879

\$5.00 PER ANNUM

TUCKER HALL,  
POSITIVELY TWO NIGHTS ONLY!  
Monday and Tuesday Evenings,  
MARCH 3RD AND 4TH.

SUCCESS OF THE SEASON

THE PATHFINDERS A LA TROU-  
BAUDRES A LA TROU-  
BAUDRES their great pro-  
-and musical eation.

SCRAPS!

An advertisement without a flaw, being a  
printed success by press and Public  
everywhere sets \$1000 gene at admission 75  
cents, 50 cents, 25 cents, 10 cents, 5 cents  
each at Heart's Drug Store.  
Feb. 27/79.

Farm Wagons.

We have the

LARGEST STOCK

of our own manufacture) of Wagons,  
Carts &c. in North Carolina. We use none  
but

Extra Qualities of Material

At our wagon works. And we respectfully  
solicit an inspection of our wagons and carts  
our assortment comprises every size of  
WAGONS from them the lightest

ONE-HORSE TO THE HEAVIEST

SIX-HORSE &amp;c.

We warrant all our work and make prices  
as low as the lowest. Repairing done a  
lowest rates.

JULIUS LEWIS &amp; CO.,

HARDWARE MERCHANTS,  
Fisher Building, RALEIGH C.

Wagon works East Ha

et street.

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THE BANKER'S DAUGHTER.

THE FIRESIDE COMPANION No. 539,  
Contains the opening chapters of the new  
story.

THE BANKER'S DAUGHTER.

A short from the celebrated play of the  
same name, by Bronson Howard, now run-  
ning in the City Square Theater, New York.  
The same paper also contains the opening  
chapters of James Paynter's story.

Under one Roof.

The words and music of the following  
songs are given away with the Fireside  
Companion, the complete of the comic  
song & piano, also the words and music of the songs and  
chorus, "When I Was a Lad," No. 592,  
"I'm a Young Virginian," No. 593,  
"I'm Called Little Buttercup," song No. 595,  
and "I'm a Bold Bad Boy," song No. 596,  
"Bratious Tar," Lovers' No. 596.  
Duet with.The Fireside Companion is \$1.00, all  
the newspaper and companion price is  
10 dollars a year. Address George  
Mueller, 17 to 27 Vandewater street, N. Y.

MAGNOLIA GRANDIFLORA.

A small lot of these splendid trees re-  
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Patapsco Family Flour,

Baltimore Family Flour,

CLEAR RIB SIDES,

CORN, OATS, MEAL,

Lowest Prices in the City.

W. M. SANDERS.

NOTICE.

In the matter of  
John Devereux, Jr.  
Bankrupt.Notice is hereby given that a general  
meeting of the creditors of JOHN DEVEREUX,  
Jr., bankrupt, will be held at the Regis-  
ter's office in Raleigh, N. C., before Mr.  
SHARPE, Jr., Register in Bankruptcy,  
on the 1st day of March, 1879, at 10 o'clock  
a.m., for the purposes set forth in the  
order of the court, dated February 2, 1878.

WALTER CLARK, Trustee.

WE STRIVE TO PLEASE.

John A. Bragawa, Confectioner and Dealer  
in Toys, Drapery, etc., Street, (Moore's  
old stand) just returned from the  
West, and is now in business again.  
Fashions, etc., of all grades, screen tops,  
linen, agates, money for children to  
learn, playing cards, etc., books, val-  
ues, hats, peanuts, raw peanuts who e-  
lves, and retail tobacco & cigar, bananas  
jars by the wholesale & retail, raw peanuts,  
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If We Would But Consent.

Cincinnati Enquirer.

If Hayes's consent could only be obtained  
to run for a second term, what a  
collapse there would be in Granham  
and Shermanism and Blaineism, and  
all that kind of enthusiasm! But the  
old man has made up his mind and his  
stubbornness is proverbial.Strong efforts are being made to en-  
courage the culture of tea in South  
Carolina.WARE CRIMINAL COURT.—In 1877  
the Legislature established a Criminal  
court for this county. Some two weeks  
ago a bill passed the House abolishing  
the court, and yesterday it passed the  
Senate. The court thus ends its brief  
existence of two years. There is  
some talk of the establishment by the  
magistrates of an Inferior Court, but  
there is nothing definite yet known  
on this subject. During his term as  
Judge Hon. Geo. V. Strong has won  
the regard and confidence of the people.

## OUR LAW MAKERS.

SENATE.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 26, 1879.

The Senate was called to order at 10  
a. m. President Robinson in the chair.Reports from committees were pre-  
sented by Messrs. Seales, Stewart, Da-  
vidson, McLean, Black, Lyon, Hender-  
son, Dorich, Eppes, Bryan of Pender,  
Eaves, Merritt, McEachern, Moye,  
Shackford and King.

PETITIONS.

Mr. Henderson presented the petition  
of John Stoop and 408 other citizens of  
Rowan, praying for the enactment of a  
stock law; also the petition of Peter  
Albright and 75 other citizens of Rowan  
against a stock aw.

THE BELL PUNCH.

The President announced as the special  
committee instructed to report a  
bill for the collection of the tax on  
spirits liquors on the principle of the  
Bell Punch.

THE WAKE COUNTY CRIMINAL COURT.

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stock law; also the petition of Peter  
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THE PERSONAL PRIVILEGE.

Mr. Caldwell rose to a question of per-  
sonal privilege and had read from the  
Clerk's desk an article from the Raleigh  
News headed "Investigation Called For,"  
in which he had been mentioned.

Mr. Biddle introduced Craven county.

Mr. Taylor did not want the court.

Mr. Eppes arose to withdraw Halli-  
well.On motion the House adjourned till  
10 o'clock to-morrow.and the payment thereof by the Treas-  
urer. Referred to Committee on Ag-  
riculture.

# DAILY NEWS

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27 1879

RUSSEY & JORDAN, Prop's.

JOHN H. HUSSEY, - Editor.

## The Remedy.

The remedy for the evils complained of by the people is plain and easy of comprehension.

Let the Legislature repeal the appropriation to pay bondholder's interest and buy iron, for the Western N. C. R. R.

Let it repeat the \$50,000 subsidy, passed this session by a minority vote in each House, to the Coalfields R. R.

Let it then pass an act like those prevailing in Georgia, Tennessee and other States to farm out the convicts to the highest bidder.

The result of these three bills would be to save \$300,000 of the taxes annually. The News has heretofore given the figures. As many or more miles of railroad would be built by them annually than under the present expensive system. The bondholders of the Western N. C. R. R. would then go ahead and build their own road to make their bonds good.

Add to this \$300,000 the \$95,000 that it is estimated will be saved by the Salaries and Fees bill, the Dear and Dumb and the Penitentiary bills and the \$5,000 already saved in reducing the price of Public Printing and the net saving will be \$400,000 annually, being over 25 cents on the dollar.

By disregarding railroad mortgage bondholders and their agents and officials lobbying this real Retrenchment and Reform is easy.

The Legislature would thus earn for themselves an eternal record of honorable mention on the pages of our State's History.

Will they do it?

## Pension Frauds.

The pension rolls, since it was first created and put in full motion, have averaged over twenty-nine millions a year, or largely exceeding one-fourth of the interest on the national debt. The Commissioner of Pensions says:

"It is estimated that there have not been less than two millions paid out annually for fraudulent pensions. In my judgment the estimate is below, rather than above, the actual amount."

The belief of those who have thoroughly investigated the subject is that the annual frauds are between fifteen and twenty per cent. of the aggregate pensions, or four or five millions a year.

The discussions in the House and Senate over the two census bills, respectively reported by both bodies, show pretty clearly the tendencies of each of the two parties. The Republican party aims to centralize the power of the Government; the Democratic party has shown by the bill prepared and so ably presented by Mr. Cox, of New York, to distribute these powers among the people and the States. The speech of Mr. Manning, of Mississippi, on this subject, which appears in the Record of the 22d, is a very able one; creditable not only to his Democracy, but to his learning and legal acumen as well. Mr. Manning's position is that it is clearly within the province of Congress to delegate to the Governors of the different States and territories the power to supervise the census-taking and appoint the enumerators. That is the most practical and sensible plan almost everybody will admit. Mr. Manning, as we have said, deals with the constitutional question entirely, and as any candid person will acknowledge who reads his closely-knit argument, has presented his view of the case so strongly that it is doubtful if it can be controverted.

The report that the Chinese Minister at Washington secretly aided and abetted the adoption of the anti Chinese bill by the Senate has this element of credibility, viz: the well known wish of the Chinese Government to return to its old policy of isolation from the rest of the world. The restriction of Chinese immigration by America furnishes an excellent precedent for the restriction or prohibition of intercourse with Americans by China. But the report which came from a Republican correspondent at Washington may have been manufactured with a view of influencing Hayes to veto the bill as a menace to our trade with China. Certainly, Secretary Everts' information contradicts it. He is reported as saying that the Chinese Minister resents the summary manner of establishing this restriction of Chinese immigration to fifteen passengers per vessel.

The News does not believe in sectionalism. It deprecates the defence of the one third of the State tax now levied annually for the benefit of the railroad mortgage bondholders, which is attempted to be made on the ground of its being done for the West. The News is as desirous of seeing the Western N. C. R. built as it knows the West is. But it knows the people of the West must be as much opposed as it is, to the building of that road with the earnings of the people to become the property of the mortgage bondholders.

The News is in favor of the road if built by the bondholders for themselves. But it is not in favor of "mudcat" and the "tunnel" being worked by the tax-payers for the bond holders to take the profit.

Disbursements for pensions since 1862 aggregate more than \$365,000,000. It is believed that many thousands of those who drew pensions have no claim in law or equity. There is no portion of the public expenditure more cheerfully borne than the pension rolls, but there ought to be much greater care shown in the detection and prevention of frauds.

## Consistency.

There are those who assert that to pay \$100,000 of interest on a compromise effected of \$27,000,000 of the State debt for 4,000,000 will throw the State back into Radical hands.

Over \$3,500,000 of the debt to be compromised were issued to build the Western N. C. R. R.

Yet with rare consistency these same legislators insist that over two hundred thousand dollars of taxation must be annually levied now to build the Western N. C. R. R. for the benefit of its mortgage bondholders.

Be just and honest before you are generous has no place in their rules of conduct.

It would seem that the honor of the State is less with them than the interest of railroad companies.

It would seem that the chief reason for the existence of population in North Carolina is that it may be taxed for subsidies to railroad corporations.

It would seem that their objection to settling the State debt is really because they fear that enough may not be left in the Treasury for the railroad subsidies.

A LARGE Treasury balance is a constant temptation to extravagance and jobbery in Congress. If, says the New York Exchange, the funds in the Treasury had been depleted by an honest payment of a long repudiated debt—the greenbacks—so that there was only \$200,000,000 of outstanding legal tenders, which it was the duty of the government to pay off as fast as possible, it is not likely that the pension arrears bill would have passed, nor would there be a question of the result of the proposed annual gift of \$300,000 to \$150,000 to John Ranch, ship-builders?

CINCINNATI is to have a game of chess with living pieces. Gentlemen and ladies appropriately and richly dressed will personate the kings, queens, bishops, knights, rooks, etc.

The pawns will be represented by young ladies tastefully dressed. All the paraphernalia incident to a tournament in the middle ages, such as lance-pieces, shields, banners, trumpeters, marshals, and attendants, will be faithfully imitated. Two of the most skillful players will fight the mimic battle.

A PROMINENT colored leader in Louisiana, who holds a Federal office in New Orleans, has observed that election disturbances occur in the cotton growing districts of that State, while, as a rule, the parishes that raise sugar are comparatively tranquil. His explanation is that the cane crop requires constant attention from the time it is planted until it is cut and ground while the cotton crop gives intervals of idleness that inspire political and other activity.

Ir is admitted that the subsidy to the Coalfields R. R. passed the House by a minority. It is alleged that in the Senate there were some pairs. It is true but there were only three pairs and counting them as present the vote would have stood 22 to 22 and the casting vote of the speaker gave it 23 votes out of 50. In the House it only received 51 votes out of 120.

An Investigation Committee under Senator Calhoun's resolution has been appointed to examine into the mode of passage of the appropriation to the Coalfields alias Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley Railroad with Mr. Dorch as Chairman. Everyone must hope that the bottom facts will be reached. It can hardly be hoped for, however,

An expert in the Navy department has made an ingenious calculation demonstrating that the quantity of lemons purchased for the use of the Radical Senate during a single session would make lemonade enough to float the ironclad Montauk, Passaic and Wyandotte.

THE Prohibitionists of various states are getting their machinery in readiness for the next campaign. If the voting capacity of this party were commensurate with its zeal, it would soon have its grip on the helm of the ship of state. Such, however, does not appear to be the case.

The reluctance of the Radical party to impress its army of bummers, called Federal supervisors, is natural enough. A free and fair election means final retirement of that party from power and plunder. But the bummers must go.

STALWART editors, who favor Grant and another era of good steering, are in a perplexing dilemma. They can't glorify resumption any longer without appearing to favor Sherman. And yet they dare not ignore or condemn resumption.

Mr. PAWLEY's bill to repeal \$70,000 of the \$175,000 which is annually drawn out of the state Treasury to build the Western N. C. R. R. for its mortgage bondholders comes up to day.

The eyes and nose will show who are the friends of the people and who are not.

From the shabby treatment which the Amercian has received from the Russians, it would appear that the Czar's pledge of friendship was designed to be contingent on his not wanting it.

THE Salaries and Fees bill finally passes the Senate but the influence of the lobby holds it up in the House.

THE plain talk of Mr. Carroll, of Sampson defeated the trade to give the East negro magistrates in exchange for Radical votes for the railroad subsidy.

We are pleased to learn that Hon. Montford McGehee arrived in the city yesterday and will take his seat in the House to-day.

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**The bill abolishing the Criminal Court of Wake county has passed the Senate and is now a law. It will be fortunate if some railroad combination does not see in the saving thereby effected an opportunity to lay an her tax on the county.**

It is suggested that something ought certainly be done to delay the anti-Chinese bill until Grant has made his triumphal march through the Flower Kingdom. Otherwise it might make things unpleasant for him.

WE will not call it a ring, but a strong, compact, well defined Inner-Circle evidently has an existence in our State politics.

**Economy and Reform.**

Correspondence of the News.

JACKSON, N. C., Feb. 24 h.

The action of the Senate on Grant's bill, notwithstanding the amendments, gives hope of economical reform at the hands of this legislature. Keep the ball rolling, Roll it home. Let the people applaud and approve. Let the legislature so do its work as to be welcomed home by their constituents with glad hearts and open arms. Let the people learn anew that Democracy lives in the old land yet, and that they were not born for the sole purpose of being taxed. Let them indulge once more the hope of better days, when extravagance or even liberality in the expenditure of public money will be regarded a crime that no gentleman can afford to commit.

Graham's bill achieves much; but doubtless it will sink the greatest number of the people if the legislature stops there. Nor will it revive with hope by reducing the fees of poorly paid clerks and sheriffs.

The asylums, the penitentiary, and the railroads burden and crush the people with taxation, and subvert public morals and democratic uses, by such combinations and corruptions as large expenditures of public money are sure to produce. Why give, in our extreme poverty, \$230,000 yearly to the building of railroads in the mountains? Are not one thousand convicts as much as we are able to furnish at present? Why spend \$70,000 for the next ten years to build a road? When it is finished it will be worthless to us—worse than worthless. I would not have North Carolina to buy the best out in the United States at five cents. North Carolina always repudiated the due of a penitentiary till carpet-baggers got possession of our capital.

Are we all insane, or deaf, dumb and blind? The support of these unfortunate costs us more than the whole State government once did.

But good laws avail nothing unless they are executed; and they cannot be quite easily. These courts should be added and open—in the court-houses of the counties, where the wrong can be denounced and the right advocated and maintained in the presence and face of all the people. From magistrates and consuls administering and executing the laws in aid of the dear corners of the country, good Lord deliver us. I fear not all the plagues of Egypt half so much. It is a fruitful source of judicial and ministerial robbery and oppression. It is steeped in the nooks and crannies of the nostrils. And yet selected magistrates, or the special Courts under our old system, or the inferior courts under our present system, are excellent judges when sitting in the court-houses where both sides are represented by attorneys. Do not extend the jurisdiction of magistrates, except in heraldic cases. I would not give them any criminal jurisdiction except to hear and bind over to the Superior or Inferior Court. Restore to all the counties the old county courts, with both civil and criminal jurisdiction. The old county courts were the pride of our forefathers.

Chief Justice Marshall, by his intercourse with our people, learned their value and was wont to speak in the highest praise of them. If restored in their wonted vigor they will be our pride and glory. Then will the old men be glad, and the young men will soon learn that our forefathers knew better than the carpet-baggers what courts we need. I once heard Judge Hedges say, in a charge to the grand jury, that the people of North Carolina knew and understood the law well enough to make it charged six times a year in the courthouses—twice in the Superior and four times in the county courts. The uneducated people need not be afraid to speak in the highest praise of them. If restored in their wonted vigor they will be our pride and glory. Then will the old men be glad, and the young men will soon learn that our forefathers knew better than the carpet-baggers what courts we need. 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# DAILY NEWS.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1874.

## Belden's Wonderful Walk.

N. Y. Star.

The old Fifth Army on Hester street was crowded on the 24th with an audience anxious to witness the conclusion of Edward Belden's attempt to walk 2,000 half miles in 2,000 twenty minutes. Fully 1,000 persons were jammed into the limited space inside the two tracks, when at 6:30 o'clock Belden came out of the dressing-room to finish his four weeks' task. The plucky little pedestrian was greeted with a storm of applause. He bowed in acknowledgment of the compliment, and started off at a rattling pace. The suit which he had donned for the last half mile was plain, consisting of a red shirt, blue vest and pants, and white stockings. On his breast were his Milwaukee and McGuire medals. Messrs. Kyder and Leroy walked, or rather ran, in front of him to keep back the surging crowd from impeding his movements, while his backer, Mr. Olmsted, and the referee, Mr. P. H. Martin, protected the rear. Belden crowded his advance guard and compelled them to keep up a running gait. The weaker part of the spirit of the occasion was stricken at as lively a rate as the more active, and again at sterner. The ladies in the audience clasped their hands, waved their handkerchiefs, stood upon their chairs and cheered the pedestrian. The recipient of the applause finished his last half mile in the remarkable time of 4m. 35s., or 15s. less than his best half mile. When the scorer called out the last lap there was a rush to the track, and Belden was picked up and placed upon the shoulders of John Ratsey and M. H. Johnson, who carried him another lap around the track, amid the continued and uproarious cheers.

## Archbishop Purcell's indebtedness.

Baltimore Sun.

"In the opinion of some of the best informed persons, the total amount of the Archbishop's liabilities will exceed \$4,000,000.

As it now seems to be understood that, in accordance with the decision of Chief Justice Taunay, none of the church property held in trust by the Archbishop can be disposed of in payment of these debts, as they were not contracted in the course of his duties as Archbishop, it will be necessary to devise some extraordinary means of raising money in order that the claims may be paid. The universal feeling and expression among Catholics that the debts should be paid, and to that end contributions will be solicited from all the other dioceses in America and Europe, and priests will be dispatched to collect them. The friends of the Church are met with alarm at the situation. It is doubtful if all the Catharine and school property in Cincinnati, if put up at forced sale, would realize enough to pay the indebtedness. It is believed that litigation will soon begin and that the first suit will precipitate an avalanche. The important question for depositors is, whether the property of the Church can be held to satisfy their claims, and the point will be the first to be settled in court. It is not known whether or not the resignation of the Archbishop will be accepted. The letter of Cardinal Simeoni, saying that the Pope thought it imprudent to accept it at present, is thought by some to be a sly bit of sarcasm at that venerable Archbishop's expense. The Archbishop opposed the adoption of the dogma of papal infallibility at the Ecumenical Council, not because he did not believe it, but because he thought the time inopportune. Ever since that time he has been known in Rome among the Cardinals and higher clergy, as the "impostor," and it is hinted that some of the tenacious-minded Italians wish to remind him of that."

## An Episode in Black Jack's career.

Cincinnati Commercial.

A word for Logan may be safely said. He announced himself for the maintenance of specific payment in his Washington sermons speech, and for Government intervention when any of the states deny to their citizens any rights, civil or political, guaranteed to them by the Constitution. When it is considered that he was the author of the infamous anti-negro laws that once stained the state-book of Illinois, it must be confessed that the times have changed, and Logan with them.

## Matt as a Reformer.

New York Tribune.

The Hon. Matt Carpenter announces that when he returns to the senate he will not train with the Chandler-Langan crowd if they are what they were in older times, but will be an independent republican. Is Judge Davis's third party to be doubted?

## Theodore's Best Hold.

Chicago Tribune.

Mr. Theodore Tilton is doing poorly this season as a lecturer, and it seems necessary that he should involve himself and family in another scandal in order to keep up public interest in his career.

## An Indecency.

Louisville Courier-Journal.

It is our private opinion that the Chinese expulsion bill, which has just passed into an act of congress is a humbug; though, of course, since the St. Louis platform contained the nucleus of the measure, as a good democrat we are bound to support it in public. Nevertheless, old Hannibal Hamlin was right. It is a weak concession to the unenlightened English in California, at the same time that as a matter of international relationship, it is an indecency.

## Zachariah and Hayes.

New York Sun.

The return of the Hon. Zachariah Chandler to active politics recalls the last speech which he made before his retirement. It referred to the present occupant of the white house, and was as follows: "Why the damned fool wouldn't have been president at all but for me; it was I that gave him the vote in South Carolina, Florida and Louisiana."

## Georgia and Louisiana.

Chicago Times.

The wealth of Georgia is increasing at the rate of \$40,000,000 a year. Louisiana at the rate of \$74,000,000. Yet the latter is on the high road to repudiation because unwilling to pay its debts.

## John as a Commanding Genius.

Buffalo Express.

John Sherman is making a great fuss about a little deficiency of twenty-seven millions. What's that to a man of his commanding genius?

## Mrs. Tilden's chances.

Buffalo Express.

Certainly the cipher investigation, so far as it is judged by the democratic press, has rather improved than injured Mrs. Tilden's chances.

The fifty-fifth anniversary of the Congressional Temperance Society was held in Washington City last night. G. W. McCrary, Secretary of War, was the new President of the society, and an address was made by W. Dowse, a former member; Mr. S. Brewer, of Michigan, and James Monroe, of Ohio.

Colonel William Ross, formerly a famous stage driver and expressman, died at Providence, R. I., on Saturday night. He owned the first express route on the Boston and Providence Railroad. It is mentioned of him in Providence that when Jenny Lind sang in that town in 1856 he paid \$653 for the choice of seats at her concert.

## The Pat-Peano Grange & Grange Mixture.

These high grade Fertilizers are so well and favorably known throughout the country that it is useless to say more than that they are for sale upon the most favorable terms of any manure offered in this market by Messrs. M. T. Norris & Co., who are receiving orders and keep on hand a large stock of groceries and supplies for farmers.

If you want flour, meat, meal, corn, oats, peas, Irish potatoes, new crop Cuba molasses, plows or castings, be sure to call at D. T. Johnson's or send your orders to him, and you will be certain to get the worth of your money.

Just received a lot of fresh eggs and butter—going very low, call early. D. T. Johnson, Wilmington street.

The funeral services over the remains of Rev. Dr. Reuben Nelson, general manager of the Methodist Book Concord took place Saturday afternoon at St. Paul's M. E. Church, New York. Dr. Tiffany conducted the services. A very large gathering of people marked the occasion, in which were a number of clergymen. Bishops Harris and Simpson spoke. This body was taken to Kingston, N. Y., for interment.

## Wanted.

A lady of many years experience in teaching, des res to obtain board in exchange for instruction in Music, or teaching other branch's a few hours daily. Reference given. Address, "Teacher" care of Editor of the Daily News.

**Good Perfect Fitting.**

Canton flannel drawers at 63 cents, R. B. Andrews & Co., Clothiers and Hatters.

**Red "C" Safety Oil.**

At Watson's, also, the clear Aladdin, take your choice.

**At Watson's—the Best.**

The best 5 cent cigar in the city, also, choice tobacco.

**Reich's Patent Butter and Egg Churn.**

This is a valuable North Carolina invention, and every hotel, bar room and family in the country should have one. These churning are on exhibition at J. C. S. Lumsden's store. The general agent, Mr. L. B. Waller, who is selling county rights to manufacturers, will be pleased to show them. Also receipts to make Reich's Magic Butter.

**Cheerful Rib Scales,**

Patapsco Family Flour, North Carolina Family Flour, Baltimore Family Flour, Sack Oats, Corn, Meal, Sugar, Coffee, Tea.

All cheap at wholesale or retail at W. M. Sanders, near corner of Wilmington and Martin Streets.

P. S. Competition defied, both as to quality and price.

Wm. Woolcott has just received from a bankrupt stock, a lot of hats, boots, shoes and clothing, he will sell them cheap for cash, a case of spring calico's just arrived at Woolcott's.

**The Lighting Painter.**

This useful article is now on exhibition and for sale at the Hardware house of J. C. Brewster, saves time, labor and half the goods, every lady should have one, they are sold very low and warranted to give satisfaction. Call early and secure one. Hardware, stove and house furnishing goods, waggon and buggy material, etc. J. C. Brewster.

**New and Unheard Of!**

Those unique cards. Just received at the News Job Office. The marvel of the age.

**Particular Notice.**

Business men and others in need of Book and Job Printing of any kind should remember that the News Job Office is the place to have it done neatly, cheaply and at the shortest notice.

**Compressed Yeast.**

To avoid Dyspepsia, use good whole-some bread, which can only be produced by a yeast which will cause natural fermentation. The Vienna Compressed Yeast made by Gaff, Fieischmann & Co., is a natural extract of selected grain, and in its result when properly used, is unequalled.

For sale at Simpson's Drug Store.

**Received To-day.**

Fin black suits equal to custom work at R. B. Andrews & Co., Clothiers and Hatters.

**Change of Firm Name.**

The Merchant Tailoring business that has been conducted under the name of C. Weikel, heretofore, will in the future be carried on under the name and style of C. Weikel & Co. All accounts due Mr. Weikel for work done will be collected by him, Weikel & Co., have on hand splendid goods, do instock work for the smallest prices and take cash only for work done by them.

**At Watson's.**

Hoebler's sausage, tripe and pigs feet.

We shall never cease to endorse the good qualities of Dr. B. Bull's Cough Syrup without fail. Good effect our sugar would have been short of reading matter this week; we had a shocker e. u. g. Weekly Union.

**Low Prices.**

Black and colored silk scarfs at 50 and 60 cents.

Black silk stocks at \$1.00 each.

Black silk ties at 25, 40 and 50 cents, received to-day at R. B. Anderson & Co., Clothiers and Hatters.

**Fresh Lime and Cement.**

Always in stock, prices and quality guaranteed, sash, doors and blinds enough always in stock to build 200 houses. Write for price list. Julius Lewis & Co., Hardware Merchants, Raleigh, N. C.

## Cheap Grain and Forage

At Martin & Osborn's grain and feed store, 1,000 bushels corn, 700 bushels oats, car load bees drawn shingles, car load sawed shingles, car load shucks, fodder and hay.

**Fine Arts in Raleigh.**

Soldom have our citizens the opportunity of viewing so large and varied a collection of Fine Oil Paintings as will be displayed at 28 Fayetteville street, (Newsom's old stand) on Tuesday, at 3 p.m., with catalogues. The entire collection is from the Philadelphia Art Gallery, and will be closed out at auction commencing at 3 and 7 p.m. on Tuesday. As there is no limit, this will be a first-class opportunity to adorn your home with works of art of your choice. The ladies are especially invited, for whom the afternoon sale will be held.

**Fine Arrival at Watson's.**

Green corn, green peas, peaches, tomatoes, brandy peaches, lobsters, oysters and many other oysters, to be sold at Watson's.

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Sugar, coffee, green ribs, salt, corn, oats, molasses, early rose seed, potatoes, all of which brought to the best advantage and will be sold as early as possible. The house is open to all.

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